FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 16

LOCAL NEWS

For this section colder, fair weather, followed on Saturday by rising temperature light to fresh and along the coast brisk northerly words.

THE MT. VERNON AVENUE.—The large and eithusiastic meeting held in this city yesterday to inaugurate plans for the con-struction of an avenue from Washington to Mt. Veruon has been generally talked about to-day and the prevailing wish is that the road will be built. Most of the property owners through which the road is likely to pass have expressed a willingness to donate the right of way, and an effort will be made the right of way, and an effort will be hade to get Congress to assist in the grand under-taking. In his speech vesterday Mr. Frank Home said: "If Congress assists in this mat-te, well and good; but if it does not, then I believe we are able to help ourselve," and this seems to be the general sentiment. Mr. Fox said in his speech that the proposed avenue would run for two miles through the Artington property and that it was expected that the government would construct at least that portion. As stated yesterday, be-fore the meeting adjourned a subscription list was started and each person was requested to set opposite his name the amount to would subscribe towards the expenses of a preliminary survey. About \$300 was sub-scribed. Mesers, H. W. Newby and W. Gillingham officed to donate their services as surveyors. Mr. M. B. Harlow was elected treasurer, and the amounts subscribed were made payable on the call of the committee of twenty-one. All persons wishing to contribute towards paying the expenses of the survey can leave their names at the office of the Alexandria Real Estate Investment, Trust and Title Company.

THE LATE J. G. BECKHAM.—Mr. John Grigsby Beckham, who died at his residence in Princs William county on Sunday last, was an uncle of the Mesors. Beckham, of was an unite of the desait of the his city, and father of Gen. R. Frank Beckham, (chief of artillery on the staff of Gen. Hood) who was killed in the Confederate Mr. Beckham was a descendant on his paternal side of John Grigsby, an Eng sh soldier who was one of the company led by Lawrence Washington, elder brother of George, to the stege of Carthagena, on the Spanish Main, in 1741. He afterwards came to this country and died in 1799. Mr. Grigsby married a daughter of Col. Charles Porer, a member of the House of Burgesses in Dinsmore's time, commanded a regiment at the siege of York, and in 1777 was elected to the House of Delegates from Orange county, under the rew constitution of the previous year when Mr. Madison lost his election. Up to 1788 or 1789 Col. Porter was an influential member of the General Assem bly, sustaining all Mr. Jefferson's revised bills, especially the act concerning religious freedom. Gen. Frank Beckham was a graduate of West Point, an officer in the old army, but resigned at the beginning of the

Lafr Without Settling. - About a year ago a young German, giving his name as G orge L. Drewitz, came to this city with his wite and, being in reduced circumstances, song it aid from the citizens. He was an et by many, and after serving as clerk with one or more merchants, was finally coupleyed by Mr. A. H. Aguew in his wood and e al office at the ship yard. There he acted as clerk till a short time since, when me morning he failed to put in an appearance. Is appears that Drewitz had been given some bilis to collect, and obtaining the money on some of them concluded to have without settling with Mr. Agnew, and his wher abouts have not been ascertained. His wife left the city about the same time. Mr. Agnaw's loss is small and he is congratuating himself that it is not heavier.

On Burning Locomotives.—Capt. W. H Brooks yesterday made a trip over the W. and O. railroad, from this city to Round Hill, on his patented oil burning locomotive, during which trip his locomotive accomplished all that is claimed for it. left here in the merning ten minutes behind the regular mail train, and returned in the evening ten minutes after the arrival here or that train, having kept the same time throughout the trip. During the run to Round Hill and back, a distance of 110 miles, the locomotive consumed two and a half barre's of crude petroleum, and Capt. Brooks says he will yet lessen the consump-tion of oil by his locomotive. He is confident that in time oil will be used exclusively as fuel for locomotives, and thinks his patent will be generally adopted.

morning was delayed until 11:30 o'clock today, on account of an obstruction at Faber's Mills. At that point, the engine of freight train No. 3, going north, ran off the track last night, completely blocking the way for the mail train for several hours. It is one of the heaviest engines on the road, and much time and labor were necessary to re-place it on the track. Fortunately, nobody was hurt, and the damage to the engine is inconsiderable.-Lynchburg Advance, of yes

Fire -The alarm of fire shortly after 10 o'clock last night was caused by the slight burning of the wood work near the furnice at the foundry of Butts & Curtin, on north Fairfax street. The flames were extin guished by some of the firemen with buck ets of water. The alarm brought out the fire department, but the services of the engines were not needed.

PROPERTY SALES -Mr. Geo. T. Price based the store and dwelling on the corner of Queen and Pitt streets to Mr. J. W. Ham-

Mrs. Kate U. French, of Mercer county, W. Va., has sold to Mrs. M. E. French, of this city, the three story brick building on the north side of King street, between Washington and Columbus, for \$1,700.

THE STRAW HAT GUN.-It was quietly whispered about the streets this morning that the "gun" calling in straw hats would be "fired" in a few days and that no warn-

ing of the "call" would be given. If this be so a mean advantage will be taken of the community, as neither buyers nor sellers of ha's are prepared for the sudden change,

SUIT.—Mr. E. S. Fleming, through his attorney, Mr. J. K. M. Norton, has entered suit against Mr. Herman Bumgarten, the contractor for renumbering the houses of the city, for money claimed to be due him for services randered for services rendered.

CORRECTION .- It was Lieut. Robert H. Tyler, the nominee for the House of Delegates from Prince William county, instead of Lieut. Robert Lyles, who responded to the call for volunteers at the battle of Ball's

PERSONAL.-Rev. A. P. Keating, formerly and rotall by assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, was

POLICE REPORT .- Last night was clear and cool with four prisoners at the station

The Mayor this morning disposed of the Herbert Mills, arrested by officer Simpson, for being drunk on the street, forfeited

85 collateral.

Ben Hughes, colored, arrested by officer Young, for disorderly conduct, was fined \$3.

Jus. Owens, arrested by officers Franks and Grady for disorderly conduct, was fined

Littleton Harris and Tute Olden, two colored hoys, arrested by officer Taylor for shooting bean shooters, were fined \$1 each. Mary Wanzer, colored, arrested by officer Davis for assaulting Bettie Posey, was fined

Adam Jefferson, colored, arrested by officer Davis for an assault on his wife, was

Chas Williams colored, arrested by officers Price and Henry for being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$3. Three small white boys, charged with a saulting and cutting the ear of a colored boy, were dis-

LOCAL BEEVITIES.

William F. Peter died at his home in Washington on Wednesday in the 87th year of his age

The republican convention to nominate a candidate for the House of Delegates from Fairfax county, will meet at Fairfax C. H. on Monday, at 11 o'clock.

The sixteenth annual session of the First Washington Baptist Church Association, colored, closed in Washington yesterday. Rev. J. W. Webb, of this city, was chosen moderator for the ensuing year.

The District of Columbia Commissioners are still pressing for the payment of the money advanced by the corporation of Georgetown to the Alexandria Canal and Bridge Company to build the old Aqueduct bridge. A conference with the Comptroller of the Treasury on the subject will take place next Monday.

The commandery of colored Knights Templar of this city had a celebration at the colored Odd Fellows' hall last night which was largely attended, many knights from Washington being present. Daring the night several of those in attendance became drunk and disorderly and were arrested.

Judge Hughes will hold a special term of the U. Court in this city to-morrow when, it is expected, a motion for the confirmation of the sale of the Alexandria and Washington railroad will be made and objection probably be submitted.

During a row this morning in a barber's shop on north Fairfax street, kept by a colored man named Will James, Thomas Preston was cut on the back of the head with a razor by Geo. Tucker. Lieut. Smith has received a note from Edge Bill, King George county, asking for a photo-graph of "Billy Williams," the supposed murderer of Officer Arnold.

Mr. G. E. Price will have some fine salt water tailors and trout for sale in the market to-morrow

Use the great specific for "cold in head" nd catarrh-Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

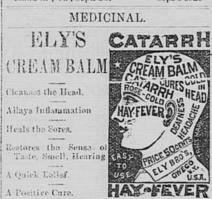
Give Ely's Cream Balm a Trial.

This justly celebrated remedy for the cure of catarrh, hay fever, cold in the head, &c., can be obtained of any reputable druggist and may be relied upon as a safe and pleasant remedy for the above complaints, and will give immediate relief. It is not a liquid, sunff or powder, has no offensive odor and can be used at any time with good results, as thousands can testify, among them some of the attaches of this office.—Spirit of the Times May 29, 1886.

\$25° A special meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Eegine Company will be held to night for the purpose of completing arrangements for the fireuce's excursion to Allendown, Pa. All persons intending to visit Allendown are requested to at-tend the meeting.

20 A CALL.—If W. D. Willcoxon will consent to be an independent candidate for the House of Delegates, he will have the support of—

£. B. Fetzer.— Spencer, Horace Ashton, L. A. Payne, J. T. Goodwin, S. W. Burdgo, C. H. S. Baxter, E. C. Rorabangh, W. N. Merchant, S.W. Nutt, Jan. F. Gulick, T. R. Mitchell, B. F. Juen and many other voters above and below the run, Manarsas, Va., Sept. 13. sep14 co2t



TRAIN DELAYED.—The mail train on the Midland railroad, due here at 5 o'clock this porning was delayed partial theory in the property of the pr

ELY BROS., Druggists, Owego, N. Y. COMMISSIONERS. SALE.

By vivine of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Fairfax, made at its November term, 1885, in the case of Pritchaut's administrator against Burlett Skinner, the undersigned, commissioners, will sell at public sale, at the front door of Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 17th day of October, 1887 (Court day), the following described property:

The TRACT OF LAND upon which Burdett Skinner resided on the 15th day of November, 1883, at which time it was purchased by George E Sengater, and contains SINTY ACRES, with the DWELLING HOUSE of five rooms and other improvements.

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OVERCOATS, ROOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS, which we will sell lower than the lowest. No old slock; all new goods. Our stock of Clothing was entirely destroyed by fire on June 18th, and we have just destroyed by fire on June 18th, and we have just opened our Clothing Department with a new and desirable stock, and can please the most fastidious. All we ask is a trial. If we can't sell to you lower than any other house, we wen't ask you to huy.

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J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Another week of inactivity has passed, and the opening of the fall trade is inauspicious. The scarcity of money outside the "centres" seems general and the cry of hard times in the country is swelling. The drought in some sections has been great, and crops have been materially short ened thereby. Prices of grain continue very low, and there is so light a demand that speculation has almost ceased. U.S. bonds are quoted quiet but steady. All of the three per cent. loan of \$305,581,250 has been redeemed except \$1,971,-000. Only a few small lots of Virginia past-due coupons were sold yesterday at rather lower prices. The bonds are very quiet and the quotations are nominal. Railroad securities are very quiet. We quote Va. Mid. 2s at 115, 3 is at 105a1084, and 5th; at 101a102.

NEW YORK, September 16.-There was an un usual amount of activity at the opening of the stock market this morning, and decided weakness prevailed, first prices being from 1/2 to 1/2 per cent, below last evening's final quotations. Prices were forced down small fractions further on a heavy trading, but the decline met with a stubborn resistance, and losses from opening figures were only for from 1/2 to 1/2 per cent. By 10:30 the decline was checked and a rally followed, the market undergoing a marked decrease in activity. In most instances prices were brought to a shade above first prices, when the usual dullness overspread the market. At 11 o'clock the market was dull and steady to firm at about opening figures. Money easy at 5a6.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16 .- Virginia 6s consolidated

; past-due coupons 631/2; 10-40s 35; new 33 621/2 bid to day. WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE SEPT. 10 Flour, fine. \$2 25 3 00 Family Fancy brands.... Wheat, Longborry... Fulty ... Mixed. 078 Corn Meal. Butter, Virginia prime..... Common to middling... 9868 Live Chickens..... Veal Calves ... Irish Potatoes per bushel ... Dried Peaches, peeled. 988 Unpaoled, ... Dried Ayrica.
Bacon—Hams, country.
Bost sugar cured Hams.
Butchers' Hams
Breakfast Bacon.
Sugar-cured Shoulders. Bulk shoulders. Bacon Shoulders..... Smoked Beef ...

Sugars—Brown
Off A......
Conf. Standard A...... Granulated 016 018 033 525 550 1000 Sugar Syrups.
Herring, Esstern, per bbl.,
Petomae No. 1.
Pot. Family Ros [9] bbl. Do. P hait barrel

5 25 0 00 Mackerel, snall, per bbl..... No. 3, medium... No. 3, large fat... No. 2 00 00 14 00 18 00 Timothy
Plaster, ground per ton ...
Ground to bage......

4 75 2 70 5 00 6 60 3 75 0 80 1 20 0 27 0 34 0 75 13 00 Turk's laland. Merino, unwashed, Do. Washed

Hsy......Cut do. Wheat Bran h ton h car . Brown Middlings (a) 17 50 (a) 17 50 (a) 19 50 17 25 $\frac{17}{19} \frac{25}{25}$ White Middlings 19 00 (a 20 00 24 (0 (a 26 00 Cotton Seed Meal Flour is easy, with well assorted stocks in first

hands and liberal receipts. Wheat is very quiet; the receipts are small and most of them are in poor condition; choice samples are rarely found among the offerings; sales were made on 'Change to-day at from 60 for damaged to 76 for good Fultz; no prime langbeary or mixed was sold; futures continue tame and show no material change from day to day. Corn is firm at from 54 to 57. Rye and Oats are steady. There is an active de mand for Potitoes, Fgg; and other produce at bot-

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16 .- Cotton quiet; middling

New York, Sept. 16.—Cotton steady; uplands 3 15-16; Orleans 9 15-16; futures steady. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat better. Corn easier. Pork dull at \$16 50. Old mess Pork dull at \$15 50. Lard weak at \$6 771/2.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16, 11 a. m.—Wheat opened at 68% for October, became stronger and advanced to 69 11·16; May Wheat 77 11·16. Oct Corn 4211·16; May Corn 45 11·16. Oct Oats 28%. Jan Pork \$12·35. Oct Lard \$6 37½. Oct short ribs \$8 32½.

RICHMOND MARKET, Sept. 15.—Flour quiet and weak. Offerings of only 4000 bushels of Whest on Change to day, with sales of white at 75 for common, 68a84 for longberry, 78 for mixed, and 60a82 for shortberry. Virginia white Cern brought 57. Oats sold at 33½a35.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, Sept. 15.—The supply of Tobacco is light and the receipts small, but there is only-competition for good grades. Flour dull. Wheat quiet and prices unchanged. Very little doing in Corn. Rye and Oats nominal.

FREDERICKSEURG MARKET, Sept. 15.—There is a change noted in prices. Flour \$3a5 50, as to o change noted in prices. Flour \$3a5 50, as to brand. Wheat 70a82. Corn 50a52. Rye and

BALTIMORE SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET, Sept. 15.—Sugars—The market for raw at the North-Assistant pastor of St. Mary's Unurch, was in this city yesterday.

Missos Nettie and Olive Crook have returned from a pleasant visit to King George county.

Mr. Park Agnew, who has been quite sick for the past few days, is out again.

Mr. J. A. Marshall is seriously ill at his bone on Wolfe street.

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\$6.88 for cut loaf, \$6.88 for cubes, \$6.88 for powdered, \$6.81 for granulated. Softs—\$6.75 for mould A, \$6.62½ for confectioners' A, and \$6.25 for standard A.

Coffee—The market for invoices is dull and easy, with a very modern'e demand, but there is no oressure of slock. The local order trade is fair, and the stock is being gradually reduced. The business is mostly in small lots. Rio invoices are quoted nominally at 19 4c per lb for fair.

Cattle Markets.

Ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and

slow, much less active than last week, while stock Cattle were bought more freely. The general quality of the offerings shows an improvement over those of last Thurslay. Values show no se-

rious change.

Sheep and Lambs—There is an increase in the numbers over last week's offerings of about 900, numbers over last week's offerings of about 900, but their quality is not as good as that of the recipts on last Thursday. Trade for good Sheep and Lambs is fairly active, with prices about the same as last week We quote butchers' Sheep at $3a4\frac{1}{4}$ e, and Lambs at $3\frac{1}{9a}5\frac{1}{4}$ e per lb gross, with extra a shade higher. Stock Sheep \$1 50a3 50 per head. Receipts this week of Sheep and Lambs 5866 head.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, Sept. 15 .- Beeves prices nominally unchanged; dressed Beef a trifle firmer at 6½a7% per lb for native sides; best 8c, and 5a6c for Texas stock. Sheep and Lambs—fair demand and steady; Sheep sold at \$3 50a5 per 100 lbs, and Lambs at \$5a7 per 100 lbs. Hogs—market dull and lower at \$5 60a6 per 100 lbs; a few choice light pigs at \$6.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, Sept. 15 .- Cattle-CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, Sept. 15.—Cattle—market slow and a shade lower; shipping steers \$3a5 15; stockers and feeders \$1 75a3; mixed \$1 30a2 75; Texas Cattle \$1 50a3 15; Western rangers \$2a3 90. Hogs slow and 5a1 October: mixed \$4 95a5 30; heavy \$5a5 45; light \$4 80a 5 30. Sheep—market weak and 10a15c lower; natives \$2 80a4 25; Western \$3a3 45; Texans \$3a3 60; Lambs \$4a4 25 per head.

QUEENSTOWN CATTLE MARKET, Sept. 15.—At Queenstown this week there were some 152 head of Cattle offered, with sales at prices ranging from 24 to 44 c per lb. 1164 Sheep and Lambs were offered; Sheep brought 3a44 c, and Lambs 4 a64 c per pound. Some Cows and Calves were sold at \$25a50 per head. Market dull for all kinds of steek

MARINE NEWS.

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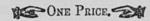
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SEED WHEAT.

We have on hand a
SUPERIOR LOT OF FULTZ WHEAT,
put aside especially for seed.
sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM,